

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 92  
By Fowlkes

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Ms. Carol Ann Roberts upon her receipt of the Humanitarian Service Award and for her exemplary service to Tennessee's juvenile justice system.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those citizens who through their extraordinary efforts have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is Ms. Carol Ann Roberts, who was recently awarded the Tennessee Juvenile Court Service Association's Humanitarian Service Award for the year 2000 at the Seventeenth Annual Joint Conference on Juvenile Justice; and

WHEREAS, the Humanitarian Award and other annual awards were conferred at the Tennessee Council of Family and Juvenile Court Judges and the Tennessee Juvenile Court Services Association's joint conference; these awards represent the highest level of professionalism in the juvenile justice area; and

WHEREAS, Carol Ann Roberts is a deserving recipient of the prestigious Humanitarian Service award, as she has accumulated over ten years of experience in individual, group and family counseling in various community agency settings; and

WHEREAS, she has extensive experience in assessing students for academic or other related problems, participating in M-Teams and coordinating with school personnel as well as on their behalf; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her work with the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga's ESL Institute, Ms. Roberts still finds time to lend her remarkable talents to training professionals and educating the public on various issues relating to mental health and adjustment; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Roberts epitomizes the spirit and commitment that is characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud Ms. Roberts for her dedication to the state of Tennessee and its young citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby honor and commend Ms. Carol Ann Roberts for her meritorious service to the state of Tennessee, congratulate her upon her much deserved receipt of the Humanitarian Service Award and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.